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AFTER THE SEABOARD

The Louisville and Nashville Active Opponents of the Southern.

Some Interesting Gossip About Proposed Railroad Deal and the Large Interests Involved.

The impression is growing in railroad circles that the possibility that the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company may, as stated in The Star of several days ago, become the owner of the Seaboard and Roanoke, or, as it is generally known, the Seaboard Air Line, in the course of a short time, is nearer an assured fact than was dreamed of when the matter was mentioned

in The Star. Of course no definite arrangements can be made by the Ryan-Thomas-Gill syndicate to transfer their holdings to any other people or company until after they have paid for the property, which, it is stated, will be done before the last of this month. There is no doubt that all three of the gentlemen named would under ordinary circumstances prefer, if they do not want to build up a system of their own and want to sell, that the Southern should have the property, but here, if the reports be true, is an opportunity for three men, each of whom is of an ambitious nature, to make

a fortune in a day.

It is known that Messrs. Ryan and Thomas have been the representatives of the house of J. Pierpont Morgan and the Southern Railway Company in a number of transactions, while it is an open secret in Baltimore that Mr. Gill and his partner, Mr. Fisner, have made immense fortunes through favors extended to them by President Spencer when the latter was at the head of the Baltimore and Ohio, at which time contracts running over a long series of years for the transportation of grain from the west to Baltimore were entered from the west to Baltimore were entered into and from which the house of Gill & Fisher are said to be still deriving a handsome income. Of course there was nothing either dishonest or discreditable in these arrangements—they have simply been profitable to the favored firm, which, by this means and through their own energies, have not only built up a great domestic trade but have also secured almost

mestic trade, but have also secured almos as great an export business. Business is Business.

Again, Mr. Gill and Mr. Spencer are warm personal friends, and the former would no doubt like to oblige the railway president to the fullest extent in his power, were it not, possibly, that business is busi

Now, if the reports be true, along come the Louisville and Nashville company, a giant corporation, nearly all of whose stock is held abroad by people who are, it is alleged, a little jealous of the growing influence of Mr. Morgan in the railway world, and see the opportunity of their history to gain an exit from their present main line to the Atlantic Seaboard at a figure which to a company with its capitalization is matter of small moment.

Opposition to Mr. Gill. It is reported that some of the friends of Mr. R. Curzon Hoffman, who, through the efforts of Mr. Gill, is said to be about to retire from the presidency of the Seaboard and Roanoke, principal among whom is

Mr. Louis McLane, are preparing to give

Mr. Gill some trouble to be re-elected presi-

dent of the Mercantile Trust and Deposit Company when his present term expires, and, if possible, prevent him from getting another term.

Mr. McLane is a very rich man, and has large interests in the company of which Mr. Gill is president, so that the latter might be seriously annoyed if Mr. McLane should make an active warfare against

A movement has also been started in Baltimore to oust Mr. Gill from the receiver-ship of the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley railroad, it being alleged that he has not railroad, it being alleged that he has not been sufficiently active in getting the road reorganized, as was the object of his appointment as receiver, and efforts are being made to get an order of sale from the United States court in that city, and reorganize the Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley under foreclosure proceedings.

Preparing for Prince Louis. The Italian cruiser Cristoforo Colombo expected at New York in a few days, and the Italian societies are preparing a warm welcome in honor of Prince Louis of Savoy, who is a lieutenant on board.

LITTLE CHILDREN

A Noble Charity Devoted to Their Help and Succor.

HOUSED IN A COMFORTABLE HOME

The Work of the Newsboys and Children's Aid Society.

There was none of the matter-of-fact

THE NEW BUILDING

"Good evening."

or commorplace in the greeting. It rose in a trebled chorus, half surprised, but altogether pleasant and genial, and not a third of those who uttered it, and there were thirty-one little boys and girls who joined in giving it, who could pronounce the syllables. To the stranger to whom it was extended it was striking and signicant in a number of ways, and if the milk of human kindness in him had ever been clabbered the simple words would have sweetened it again. And when he tells the story every one will know the reason why. The charities of a great city are sealed to the knowledge of the great majority of the population. They are on the nether side of the hum and bustle of business and society. Some sweet women and noble men are their intimates and delight in the pathetic beauty they pre-sent, smiling through their tears, ofttimes at misery appeased and suffering solaced To others they are known only as some-thing to be supported with regular subscriptions given, unfortunately, sometimes grudgingly, but to the general public they are virtually unknown. Were there morfamiliarity with them few would feel the pressing needs that often Lear upon them

The little ones who greeted the stranger so heartily last night were the recipients of the generous bounty of one of the truest and noblest charities in W. shington or anywhere else. They were gathered in the lecture room of the new building of the Newsboys and Children's Aid Society and had been learning their evening lessons. The oldest children were a colored girl, not more than eleven years old, and a colored bey of about the same age, and the others ran down the scale of juvenility to a little tot of a girl, as round as a dumpling and as pretty as a peach, scarcely more than three years old and already with a history.

The New Building.

The stranger's coming had been unheralded. He was a Star reporter, and a few minutes before had met Mr. John B. Wight. the treasurer of the society, who had invited him to take a peep at the home. That peep was extended into a visit to every part of the home, and the creation of impressions it would do many another a world of good to receive. Mr. Wight did not even ring the bell when the new building of the home was reached. He opened the street door and ushered the reporter into a room to the left of the entrance, a pleasant apartment designed for a reading room, with five windows assuring plenty of light in daytime and two double chandeliers for evening illumination. Then he went in search of the superintendent, Miss Mor-daunt Wilson, and was back in a moment, for she had heard the intruders and was

Miss Wilson is a young Englishwoman, remarkably young, indeed, for the import-ant work she has in hand, but at the same time remarkably fitted for it. Her attractive face, lighted by large and enthusiastic blue eyes, plays with a variety of expres-sions as she talks about her charges, and to properly describe one would truthfully say she is the epitome of energy and earn-estness. The best proof of her splendid attainments in her position is in the perfect behavior of the children; their courteous oliteness, their scrupulous neatness and the affection with which they one and all regard her.

Well Behaved and Orderly.

"They are very, very good children," said Miss Wilson, with a delightful English inflection and pardonably proud emphasis. "We have no unruly or bad ones now; indeed, we seldom have." Then she showed the visitors through. The new building, which will first be described, southeast corner of 3d and C streets, and is separated from the main building, "the George Maulsby Memorial Home," by a large yard, 54x75 feet, which is used as a playground The structure has just been completed, and is to be called the new gymnasium hall and dormitory. It is of modern construction throughout, and perfect in its hygienic and convenient appoint-ments. Back of the reading room and en-trance hall, to the right of which is a tollet room fitted with stationary washstands of the latest description and closets, is the gymnasium, a large apartment 24x40 feet. Its brick walls are painted red, and will make good ball alleys for the youngsters. There are no furnishings or athletic appliances in the gymnasium yet, so the charitably inclined have a good opportunity

charitably inclined have a good opportunity to exercise heart instinct.

There is a small coat room in front, where the boys will leave their hats and overcoats, if they have any. When they are through playing, if they have been good, they will be given a ticket admitting them the next night, but if they have been bad they will be corrected by not getting the privilege for a night or two, a simple but adequate system to insure good behavior.

havior. The second floor is taken up by the lecture hall. This commodious apartment is fitted up with school desks and there are rolling partitions, which can be set down from the ceiling, by which it may be divided into several class rooms, if desired. It was here the little ones were surprised,

as described above. Where the Boys Will Sleep The upper floor is the dormitory. It is a revelation of arrangement for comfort, convenience and safety. There are fifteen

cozy little rooms, besides the superintend-

ent's room, and the linen closet, where the

bed clothes and towels are kept, each to contain an iron bedstead, a chair and a strip of carpet. These rooms are parti-tioned off with wire netting, filled with plaster, at once fire and vermin-proof, and the front of each above the door is of openwork wire netting. This was arranged so that the rooms could be lighted from elec-tric globes hung in the hall that divides the apartments, and which are controlled by a switch in the superintendent's room. These rooms cost \$15 each to be furnished, and they may be endowed by persons and given distinctive names, like beds in hos pitals, on the payment of that sum yearly These rooms will be devoted to the accommodation of boys who work, such as news-boys, and a charge of ten cents a night will be made for a single night, with five cents for breakfast. Some of the working boys who now live at the home pay \$1 and \$1.25 per week for room, board and laundry. And each boy must take a bath before going to bed. On the first floor, adfore going to bed. On the first floor, ad-joining the reading room, is the bath room, a large room filled with a porcelain-lined tub and a modern shower bath, with a cir-cular deluge and a rubber sheet to sur-round the bather.

There are lockers built up against the walls where the boys' clothes will be allowed to take to their rooms only their pages and

to take to their rooms only their pants and nightgown. The entire building is electric lighted and steam heated, the plant for the latter equipment being located in the main building at the corner of C street.

The George Maulsby Home

Leaving the structure just described Miss

Wilson escorted Mr. Wight and the reporter

to the Maulsby Home, across the playground. This was once one of the finest residences in Washington, and it still presents a commanding and attractive appearance and is a splendid specimen of southern ance and is a splendid specimen of southern or chitecture. It was erected by Senator Gwin of California, popularly known as "Duke" Gwin and was occupied by him during his career in Congress. It was then purchased by Mr. Z. D. Gilman, the well-known Washington druggist, and afterward came into the possession of Mr. William B. Todd, who made it his residence for The parkers which are now mery years. The parlors which are now used as reception rooms at the home were always famous for the rare workmanship expended upon their ceilings, and the latter are still perfectly preserved, and are proba-

bly unequaled in this city or vicinity. The same scrupulous neatness was observed in the Maulsby Home that was predominant in the other building, new as it is, and everything was as clean as it was possible to be. The dormitories which occupy large rooms on the second and third floors were equipped with little iron bedsteads well supplied with bedclothing and the air was warm and fresh and pure. The hyglenic arrangements in this building were of the same character as those in the new building and steam heat has also been introduced.

All the children are now sleeping in the Maulsby Home and eighteen of them are wards of the board of children's guardians, having been taken from unworthy parents by that board and given homes as indicated.

The Story of the Society.

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The Newsboys and Children's Aid Society was incorporated in 1886, and from its inception has been uniformly successful in its splendid work of charity. The first house eccupied was the old Metzerott mansion on 12th street, which occupied the site where the Columbia Theater now stands, and which was tendered by Mr. Metzerott for

the purpose.

The society at that time was known simply as the Newsboys' Aid Society, and the accommodations at the home were extended mainly to newsboys, but the necessity of extending the scope of the work was made apparent and the present system of doing good was adopted.

The society prospered, and a building was secured at 926 E street, which was occupied until a year ago, when the present com-modious and attractive building was secured. The funds which enabled the society to so increase its usefulness were re-ceived through a bequest of Mrs. Anna M. Maulsby, who bequeathed \$30,000 to the so-ciety for the erection of a suitable build-ing for the use and accommodations of the newsboys and children defended by that society, and to be named the George Mauls-by Memorial Home in memory of her hus-band. The property at the corner of 3d and C streets was purchased with a portion of this bequest, and the new gymnasium and dormitory has been paid for out of a portion of the remainder.

The System Followed.

The boys and girls in the home who are able to give something toward their support are encouraged to do so, and the working boys also do what they can to ward keeping themselves, paying about half their wages in return for board and lodging. Any girl or boy may go to the home for shelter, and if they are found to need a home they are taken in, and after some training situations are found for them. The children sent to the home by the board of children's guardians are paid for out of the funds of that board. The home can now accommodate about a hun-

dred children. The new gymnasium will be formally opened next Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, and about two hundred invitations have been sent out to prominent citizens to attend the exercises. The program, which will be a short one, will include addresses by Rev. Dr. Alexander Mackay-Smith, president of the board of trustees; Justice Har-lan of the Supreme Court, and Postmaster General Wilson

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Final Session of the Annual Meeting at Wilmington, Del.

Thursday evening at Wilmington, Del., under the auspices of the synod of Baltimore, which brought to an end the annual session of that body. Next year the synod will meet in the West Street Church, Georgetown, At the business session yesterday Rev. Robert H. Williams of Baltimore, in presenting the report on church extension, expressed regret that the churches did not give as much money to this branch of the work as they did twenty-five years ago.

Rev. A. N. Keigwin of Wilmington pre-cented a report on foreign missions. In the Baltimore presbytery, out of fifty-nine churches, ten gave nothing, and in the New Castle presbytery, out of forty-six churches

The committee on ministerial relief re orted that the synod had contributed \$2,400 to this work. The following officers of the Women's Missionary Society were elected:
President, Mrs. Wm. E. Crosby of Wilmington; vice presidents, Mrs. E. H. Robbins, Baltlmore, and Mrs. T. F. Hamlin,

Cross, Baltimore.

No Instructions Sent. The Secretary of the Treasury has received information of the arrival of the tug Dauntless at the mouth of the river below Jacksonville, and a request from the deputy collector of customs for instructions as to whether a deputy United States marshal shall be placed on board her. No directions have yet been sent, but it is probable the government will place an officer aboard it found necessary. In any event, it is likely the state authorities will detain the Dauntless for some days at least, under the state quarantine regula-In the meantime the government will have reached a decision as to what

The Street Rallway Association. The American Street Railway Association Thursday at St. Louis elected officers for

the ensuing years as follows: Capt. Robert McCulloch, St. Louis, president; C. S. Sargent of Boston, Mass., first vice president; D. H. Dyer of Augusta, La., second vice president; C. F. Holmes of Kansas City, Mo., third vice president; T. C. Pennington, Chicago, secretary and treasurer; H. M. Littell of New York and H. H. Bradford of Cincinnati, Ohio, C. H. Smith of Troy, N.Y., Harvey Scuilin of St. Lcuis, G. M. Hoppee of Des Molnes, Iowa,

place of meeting.

Lieut, Charles H. Lyman, attached to the cruiser Montgomery of the North Atlantic squadron, was recently convicted by a general court-martial of the charge of drunkenness on duty, while the vessel was at Key West, Fla., several months ago, and was sentenced to lose six numbers in his grade. The court was ordered by Admiral Bunce, commanding the squadron, and the proceedings, findings and sentence have been approved by him and reported to the Navy Department for record. The action of the commander-in-chief of the fleet in this case was made public at the Navy Department today. Lieut. Lyman is well known in this city. He was attached to the Kearsarge at the time she foundered on Roucador reef, and was reduced in his grade for his connection with that casualty. The further loss of six files makes him No. 73 in the list of lieutenants.

The missionary ship Dayspring has been

The officers of the society are as follows

SYNOD OF BALTIMORE.

A popular missionary meeting was held

Only \$ 56 was given for this purpose during the past year. In twenty-five years the synod has gained twenty-eight churches, forty ministers and 11,515 members.

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All of the churches in the Washington presbytery contributed, but not to their usual amount.

Washington; secretary, Miss Nettle G. Bradley, Washington; treasurer, Mrs. A. B.

course shall be pursued.

nembers of executive committee. Niagara Falls was selected as the next

Lieut. Lyman's Sentence.

wrecked on a rock north of New Caledonia Island. The captain and seven men escaped, but the remainder, nine persons, are